A Homegoing Celebration For

Adell Green - Johnson

Sunrise:
March 13, 1944

Sunset:
June 23, 2009

Services Held

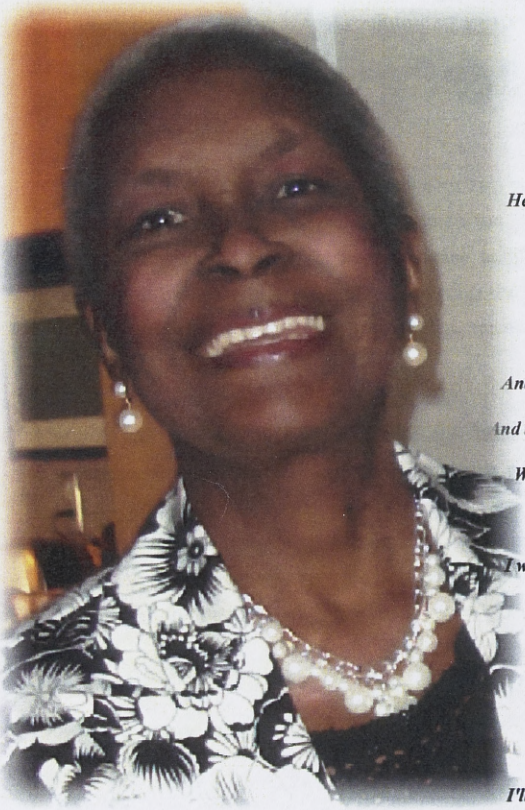
Tuesday, June 30, 2009 ~ 11:00 A.M.

St. John Missionary Baptist Church

662 So. 52nd - Richmond, CA 94804

Officiating: Rev. Dr. Kevin B. Hall, Pastor

"When I Get to Heaven"



At last I reach my final home The gates swing open wide

I get a glimpse of glory I can't wait to get inside.

An angel beckons to me I hurry up to him

He opens up a golden book And lets me look within.

I see my name is written On the page that he turns to

He says you finally made it I've been waiting here for you.

He points in one direction And tells me "go that way"

So I start my tour of heaven The place I get to stay.

I see the many mansions And walk the streets of gold

And hear the angels praising God Just like I had been told.

And then I spot my loved ones They've been here many years

We hug and kiss each other All smiles, there are no tears.

I look around for Jesus I know He'll soon appear

I want to kneel and prai se Him He's the reason I am here.

He took upon Himself my sins He paid the price for me

And by His victory over death He finally set me free.

Free from all my worldly sins And the evil Satan sent

Jesus came into my heart Because I did repent.

I'll finally get to thank Him When I bow before His throne

For all the times He carried me When I couldn't walk alone.

I'll dwell with Him in heaven With no sorrow, tears or pain

This was His promise to me When to this earth He came.

There are many mansions up here There's room for all of you

So to join us all in heaven I'll tell you what to do.

Accept Jesus as your Savior He will wash your sins away

He's waiting here to greet you When you join us here one day.

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"I Made It!"

Obituary

On Tuesday, June 23, 2009, God picked a beautiful flower as a centerpiece for His glorious garden, for He only chooses the best!.

Adell Green - Johnson was born to Johnnie & L.B. Walker on March 13, 1944, in Delhi, Louisiana. She was the fourth of six children.

Adell moved to California with her family in 1946; where she attended Richmond High School and graduated in 1962.

Adell accepted Christ at an early age becoming a member of St. John Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. R. L. Johnson. Adell was a faithful member and servant for over fifty years. She was one of the original choir member of the Voices of St. John; as well as the Youth and Young Adult Supervisor for over twenty - five years. Even through her ministry Adell was a segregate mother to many of the children whom she came in contact with.

Adell met and married Charles Hilliard in 1963, and to this union one daughter was born, Dutchess. In 1967, Adell began working for P.G and E. and retired in 2002, after serving over 35 years of diligent service.

In 1973, Adell married William Green and to this union one daughter was born Felieace; and five step-children were embraced; Kevin, Kendall, DelGratia, Arik and Marcus

In 2003, Adell met and married Robert Johnson and four step-children were added to this union; Rhonda, Randy, Chyrle and Reggie

Adell was a loving daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother and aunt. She was always willing to help out whenever she could. Everyone could always count on her for advice and support.

Adell was preceded in death by her father Johnnie, two brothers Tommy and Clarence and her sister in Christ Lois Baker.

Adell leaves to mourn her loss and cherish her memories: her husband Robert Johnson (Richmond,CA), her mother L.B. Walker (Richmond, CA), her daughters Dutchess Booze' (Kevin) of Hercules, CA, Felieace Dickerson (Andre) of El Cerrito, CA and 9 step - children. Siblings: JoAnna Smith (William) of Ontario, CA, Eugene Walker (Frieda) of Seaside, CA and Johnnie Mae Walker of Richmond, CA; 3 grandchildren and 23 step - grandchildren, 5 God Children, a special niece Danielle Hudson and a host of nieces and nephews. Best friends: Eva Jackson, Willia Hayes, Patricia McCall, Deborah Hunter, Minister Alice Powell and care giver Marie Johnson.

"Never Could Have Made It, Without You"

Love, Adell

Order of Service

for

Mrs. Adell Green - Johnson

Processional	Clergy, Family & Friends
Solo	"Never Could Have Made It, Without You" — John "Jam-B" Borens
Scripture Reading	Old Testament: Minister Derrick Jackson
	New Testament: Minister Alice Powell
Prayer	Minister Carl Hunphrey
Solo	Denise Smith
Obituary	Read Silently
Acknowledgements	Sister Meredith Fleming
Resolutions	Sister Annie Johnson
Solo	Rev. Flokey Vanhook
Words of Love	Pastor Rufus Watkins
	Pastor James Williams
Solo	Denise Smith
Expressions	2 minutes please
Solo	"Total Praise" — John "Jam-B" Borens
Words of Comfort	Pastor Kevin B. Hall
A Small Glimps of Glory	Rose Manor Funeral Services
Recessional	Family & Friends

Internment

Rolling Hills Memorial Park

4100 Hilltop Dr., El Sobrante, CA 94806

Repast: R.L. Johnson Fellowship Hall

"Never Could Have Made It, Without You"

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Grandma,

I love you with all my heart and I always will.

Hearing of your departure was difficult at best

Because in my heart

You were better than the rest.

I thought about you everyday when you were here

And I still will.

I remember that day when you told me you would always be there for me.

I didn't know at the time,

I would ever have to let you go.

I still don't believe it, maybe I never will.

Eventually it might kick in, if so, I will always have your memories to comfort me.

Love, Kemahni

Mom,

I am going to miss you dearly and I wasn't ready for you to leave, but that was the selfish part of me. Knowing that you will no longer have pain makes me happy. I know that you and the angels are going to have a good old time.
Rest in peace Mom.

Love Dutchess

"Never Could Have Made It, Without You"

For My Mother.... Forever & A Day

God hand-picked you to be my mom; (I knew this from the start)...

And no one else can ever fill Your place inside my heart.

Many times I've failed to see How much you've done for me...

or how you gave your very best So sacrificially.

But Mom I need to tell you, How very much I've grown...

I know you've place my needs above Any needs you had alone.

You've been the greatest mother, My teacher and my friend...

You've shown me what it means to give, (And give and give again.)

I'm thankful for you, Mother, Much more than I can say...

All my life, you'll be with me And your love will guide my way.

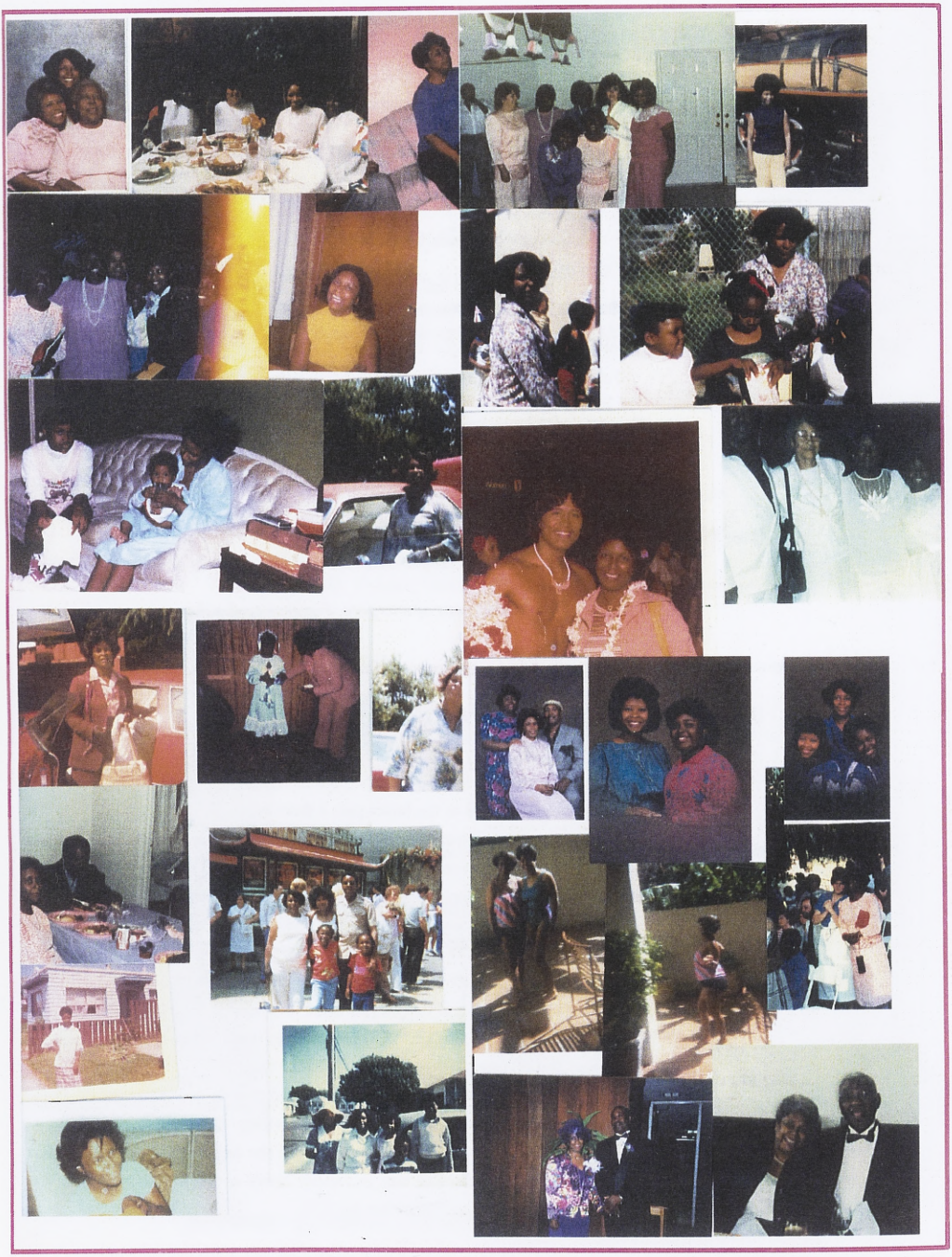
Our souls are joined together In a bond that will not stray...

You and me, our spirits free, Forever and a day.

Love Felieace

I awake each morning to start a new day but the pain of loosing you never goes away. I go about the things I have to do and as the hours pass I think again of you. I want to call you and just hear your voice. Then I remember that I have no choice; For you are not there and now my heart cries; Just to see you again to tell you goodbye. To say Auntie Mommie I love you and I always will And hope that much of you, in me you've instilled. The day that you left I just didn't know that you were going where I couldn't go. And now all my memories of you are so dear but how I miss you and wish you were here. Who now can hear me when I need to cry? It was so hard to tell you "Auntie Mommie goodbye." Someday I know all will be well and I'll see you again with stories to tell of how you were missed, how we have grown and how good it is to finally be home. Until then my memories of you I'll keep near and I'll pass them on to those who are dear.

Although this is an extremely difficult time for family and friends, we take comfort in the beautiful times that we shared over the years and the knowledge that her life brought joy to so many people. She had courage, she had strength, and she had faith. And now she has peace as she rests with the angels. She was incredibly brave and God has welcomed her with open arms." I miss you Auntie Mommie, Dannie



"Eternal Love"

to

My Loving Wife

The day we met, I fell in love, as I looked into your eyes. I saw my future staring back, as my heart began to rise.

You're the woman of my hidden dreams, my soul mate from above. The woman who could melt my heart, with a single touch of love.

I knew you were the chosen one, that God had chosen first. Your spirit gave a needed drink, to one that died of thirst.

I love you when the sun goes down, and when it reappears. Your strength I feed on every day, when facing all my fears.

Your beauty lingers in my mind, just like an Angel's face. And the sweetness that your spirit shines, I carry place to place.

That glow of God, that lies within, you truly can not hide. But the outward glow is just a taste, of what is found inside.

I'm so proud to be your husband, that I'm bursting at the seams. You're a sapphire shining in my soul, you're the treasure of my dreams.

For years my world had been empty. But the five years you have been my bride, have been the best years of my life.

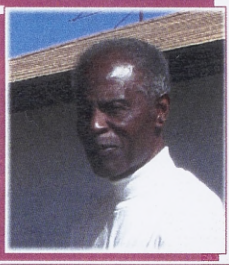
I wouldn't trade one single day, for the ransom of a king. Because when I hold you in my arms, I can hear the Angels sing.

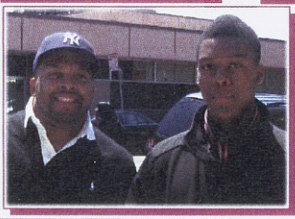
In sickness & health, my love is yours, unto my very death. But death can't even take away, all the love that we have stored.

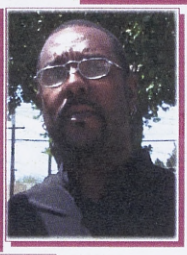
Because you & I have Eternal Love, through Jesus Christ our Lord. And the love we've shared here on earth, that set our spirits free. Just won't compare, to the love we'll share, through all eternity. Love Always...Robert

"Never Could Have Made It, Without You"

"Family Memories"







"Never Could Have Made It, Without You"

"We Are A Family"

We are a family like a giant tree branching out towards the sky,

We are a family we are so much more than just you and I

We are a family like a giant tree, growing stronger,

Growing wiser, we are growing free

We need you

We are a family

PALLBEARERS

Dea. John Baker
Dea. Mitchell Newman
Dea. Jessie Jackson
Dea. Art Johnson
Dea. Bobby Johnson
Dea. David Miles

Marcus Caveness

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Eugene Walker
Kevin Green, Sr.
Andre Dickerson
Kevin Booze, Sr.
Hondo Sutton
William Smith, Jr.
Kevin Booze, Jr.
Kristopher Booze
Kevin Green , Jr.
Keenan Green
Ricky Toliver
Marcus Green
Kendall Green
Reggie Johnson
Randy Johnson
Gary Smith
Shea Smith
LeRoy McGuire

SPECIAL THANKS

The family of Adell Green - Johnson would like to express its sincere appreciation for the love and support that we received from her friends. It is difficult enough to watch a love one battle with a serious health issue in your midst, to undergo such a heart wrenching experience is a test of your faith in mankind. Adell had friends that provided unwavering support, which allowed us to endure this hardship with full knowledge that Adell was receiving the physical and emotional support from friends who truly loved and respected her.

Thank you so much Eva and Hayes for accompanying Adell at several of her medical appointments and being the family's eyes and ears as she received medical care. Thank you to Meredith who provided support for our mom during her many hospital stays and at home. Thank you to the Alta Bates Cancer Center and her care provider Marie Johnson. We ask that you continue to pray for our strength in the Lord as we continue to heal.

The Green - Johnson Family

Arrangements Entrusted to
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